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ANNUAL REPORTS
OF THE
SELECTMEN, TREASURER,
AND
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF WEARE,
FOR THE
YEAR ENDING MARCH, 1881.

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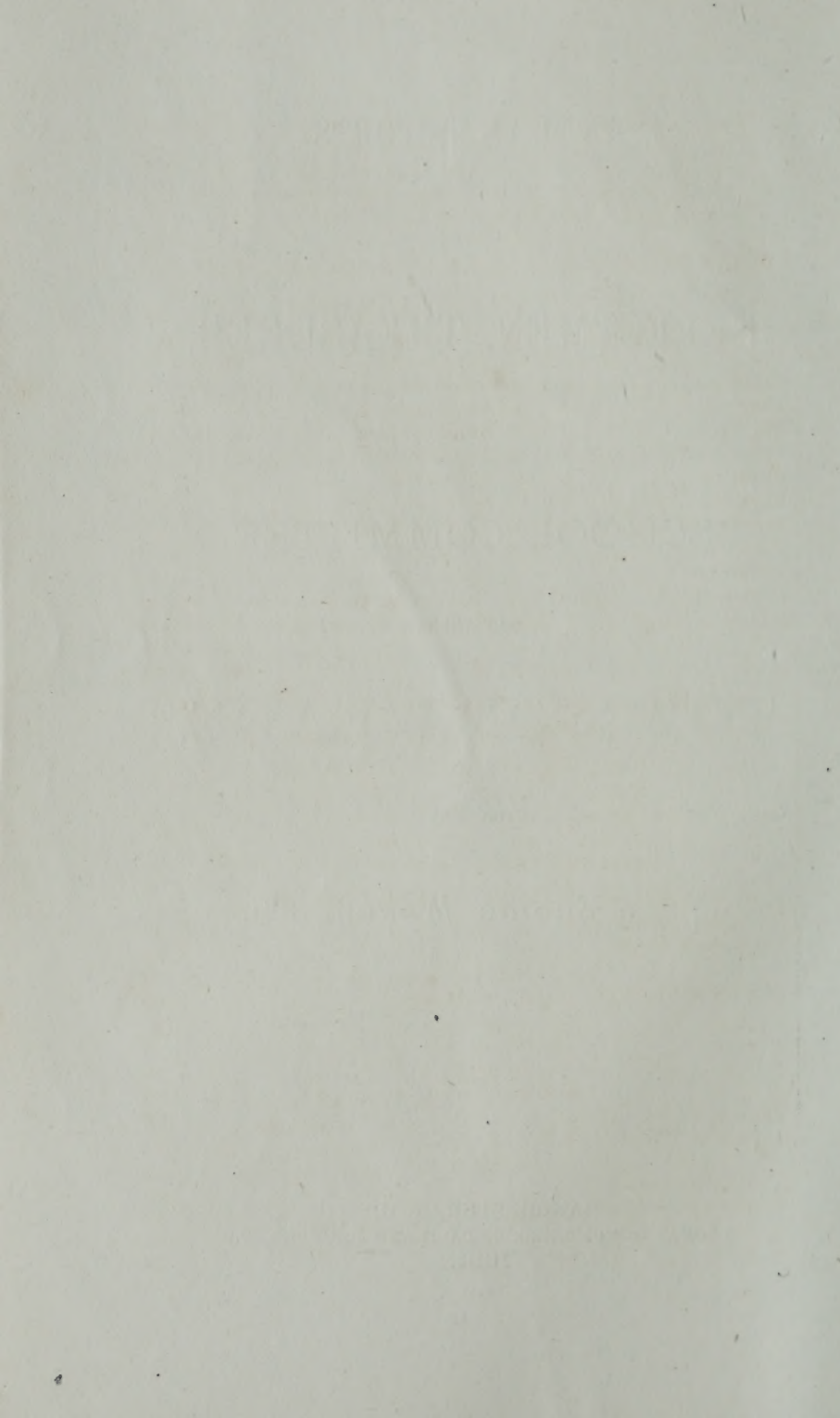
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REPORT OF THE ALMS-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT.

FRANK P. CRAM, SUPERINTENDENT.

March 1, 1880,	Dr.	March 1, 1881,	Cr.
Farm.....	\$4,000 00	Farm.....	\$4,000 00
Stock.....	560 00	Stock.....	565 00
Hay.....	130 00	Hay.....	300 00
Furniture.....	175 00	Furniture.....	175 00
Tools and Carriages	155 00	Tools and Carriages	155 00
Shoats.....	25 00	Shoats.....	18 00
Fowls.....	12 50	Fowls.....	4 00
Provisions.....	193 45	Provisions.....	230 55
Wood.....	148 00	Wood.....	150 00
Lumber.....	32 00	Lumber.....	10 00
Bills paid.....	203 75	Provisions, &c., sold	293 48
Salary of Sup't.....	300 00	Board Co. paupers..	247 00
	\$5,934 70		\$6,148 03

Balance in favor of the town..... \$213 33

INMATES AT TOWN FARM.

Sarah Fletcher, county, 71 years old.

Timothy Tuttle, " 73 "

Hannah Tuttle. " 53 "

Betsey Stone, " 86 "

Elizabeth Putney, town, 52 "

BILLS PAID BY FRANK P. CRAM.

E. Colby, grinding.....	\$0 61
Tebbetts Brothers, 1 truss.....	2 50
" 1 pt. alcohol.....	40
Buxton & Philbrick, 2 gals. molasses.....	80
" 7 lbs. sugar.....	66
" 1 comb.....	12
" $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. pepper.....	06
" thread and whip lash.....	25
Daniels & Co., 1 file.....	25
Buxton & Philbrick, 2 lbs. raisins.....	26
" 1 lb. saltpetre.....	16
A. Hadley, grinding.....	25
S. Atwood, between shoats.....	25
G. D. Epps, shoeing oxen.....	72
C. H. Hopkins, undervest.....	1 20

Buxton & Philbrick, tobacco	\$0	35
“ 6 lbs. nails		24
“ 10 lbs. sugar	1	05
“ 8 lbs. nails		56
“ 1 pr. slippers		55
Expenses to Manchester		75
Buxton & Philbrick, 6 tumblers		18
“ 6 plates		42
“ 2 lbs. soda		14
“ $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. nutmeg		30
“ stove polish		08
“ 8 yds. C. cloth		76
“ 14 yds. print	1	26
“ 3 doz. buttons		39
“ timothy seed		87
“ 6 lbs. clover		60
“ 2 lbs. red top		15
“ 3 lbs. rice		30
“ tobacco		35
“ garden seeds		75
“ 1 paper onion seed		05
“ 3 yds. window curtain		36
M. Colburn, plow point		70
E. C. Colby, grinding		48
Mr. Heath, cleaning clocks	1	25
M. W. Cram, $1\frac{1}{2}$ bu. oats		97
J. F. Cram, sawing		50
W. P. Balch, 8 qts. lime		15
L. Farmer, shoeing horse		50
L. E. Gould, surgery		25
J. B. Kinne, flour barrels		30
H. Spaulding, mending wagon	1	25
H. Balch, pasturing,	10	00
M. W. Cram, 1 bu. potatoes		25
F. P. Cram, 17 lbs. veal	1	02
“ 1 rennet		10
C. H. Thorndike, pine boards		10
H. Cram, blacksmithing		05
Mrs. Lord, 2 barrels		30
L. Patnough, 1 barrel		15
E. Colby, grinding		50
S. G. Wood, sawing shafts		25
S. L. Colburn, repairing pump		10
P. D. Bailey, calf liver		10
Poore & Rowell, 15 lbs. sugar	1	32
“ 1 kit mackerel	1	60
J. B. Varick, paint		56
L. E. Farmer, shoeing horse		95

J. Vance, meal and grinding	\$1 21
N. Dow, pasturing	2 31
G. P. Hadley, beef	40
H. Bickford, 1 quire paper	10
T. Saltmarsh, shoeing horse	15
Daniels & Co., 1 lb. paris-green	38
“ 1 scythe wrench	05
Poore & Rowell, soap	25
C. Buxton, 1 scythe	70
H. Sawyer, pasturing	1 20
F. Marden, 1 broom	15
Buxton & Philbrick, 1 lb. cornstarch	10
“ 1 box salt	25
“ 2 brooms	50
“ 2 gals molasses	1 10
“ 1 bush. salt	65
“ 1 box salt	25
“ 1 ball twine	10
“ 5 yds. crash	63
“ 1 ball twine	10
“ 1 butter-box	75
“ 7 $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs. fish	40
“ 5 gals. oil	60
“ 1 bush corn	75
“ 2 lbs. nails	10
“ 1 set hinges	18
H. Simons, 2 lbs. soda	12
“ 2 galls molasses	90
“ $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. tea	25
“ $\frac{1}{4}$ gross matches	55
“ tobacco	60
Philbrick & Buxton, 2 rakes	60
“ 1 scythe	75
H. H. Simons, 10 lbs. tea	4 20
“ starch	08
“ 2 scythe stones	10
“ 1 lb. ginger	16
“ 3 lbs. raisins	42
“ 2 gals. molasses	95
“ bug poison	10
“ 1 lb. cream tartar	22
“ 2 pair overalls	1 10
“ bug poison	20
“ sugar	75
“ soda	12
“ tobacco	1 00
“ $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. caccia	10
“ $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. cloves	12
“ 1 bbl. and sugar	2 25

John Vance, 1 bag meal	\$1 15
“ 63 lbs. shorts	65
D. R. Peaslee, shoeing horse	30
Buxton & Philbrick, 6 lbs. sugar	66
“ 5 spools thread	10
M. & S. L. Colburn, repairing wagon	55
Buxton & Philbrick, tobacco	35
G. P. Hadley, 6 lbs. tripe	48
E. Colby, Grinding	36
C. Dodge, powder	15
T. Harriman, 1 teapot	50
J. Vance, 2 bags meal	2 30
D. M. Poor, 15 lbs. fish	1 05
Expenses to Manchester	75
D. R. Peaslee, shoeing horse	25
John Andrews, thrashing	55
J. S. Kidder, 2 bags meal	2 24
C. Buxton, crackers	82
“ putty	05
“ 10 lbs. nails	48
“ 1 ball twine	05
E. Colby, grinding	36
Mrs. W. P. Balch, 1 stand	12
S. Worthley, peppermint	20
C. Tucker, 2 days labor on barn	2 50
L. Currier, 93 lbs. beef	5 12
G. D. Epps, shoeing oxen	77
W. P. Balch, 84 ft. lumber	84
Mrs. Fifield, 15 barrels	3 50
J. Vance, 1 bag shorts	1 74
E. Warren. setting tires	1 00
W. P. Balch, hay rack	75
C. M. Ferry, 1 bolt	05
C. Buxton, 2 pairs stockings	50
“ 3 yds. shirting	42
J. Vance, grinding	20
C. Ferry, shoeing horse	1 00
“ repairing wagon	12
Ziba Hoit, grinding	40
George Crane, pasturing	15 00
C. Buxton, 1 pair boots	3 75
“ 2 lbs. soda	14
“ putty	05
“ 10 lbs. sugar	99
“ glass	24
M. W. Cram, 1 coat	3 00
John F. Cram, 1 barrel	10
G. Saunders, use of cider mill	1 50

J. Vance, grinding	\$0 40
Weeks & Currier, 1 pt. alcohol	40
Daniels & Co., lime	34
Expense T. Tuttle,	50
D. R. Peaslee, repairing sleigh	1 50
E. Colby, grinding	75
C. Dodge, glass	24
C. C. Ferry, shoeing horse	20
John Vance, grinding	55
C. Buxton, thread	22
“ 2 pr. shoes	2 05
Buxton & Philbrick, paint and spirits	53
“ butter color	50
“ shoes	1 15
“ 1 qt. oil	20
“ 1 gal. molasses	40
“ 6 lbs. sugar	51
“ logwood	15
“ cornstarch	10
A. Downs, varnish	50
“ spirit	08
“ oil-cloth	1 20
L. E. Gould, 2 chickens	1 75
D. R. Peaslee, shoeing horse	55
J. Vance, grinding	25
L. Currier, 9 lbs. tallow	1 16
F. Hadley, fish	35
H. Simons, snuff	25
“ 8 lbs. sugar	55
“ $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. pepper	15
“ $\frac{1}{2}$ bu. salt	27
“ 6 lbs. sugar	66
“ 1 gal. molasses	50
“ 1 lb. ginger	16
“ $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. nutmeg	30
“ $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. cloves	12
“ $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. cassia	10
“ 4 lbs. nails	16
“ $\frac{1}{4}$ gross matches	55
“ tobacco	88
“ snuff	25
“ 1 bush. salt	65
“ 2 lbs. raisins	28
“ washing fluid	40
I. G. Rowell, $7\frac{1}{4}$ lbs. sugar	73
D. C. Lamprey, dinner	17
John Vance, grinding	39

Buxton & Philbrick, 1 bbl. flour.....	\$7 75
“ 2 lbs. soda	14
“ 2 gals. molasses	90
“ 1 bush. salt	60
“ 1 whip	40
“ 9 lbs. sugar	85
“ 3 lbs. raisins	36
“ 8 yds. shirting.....	1 28
“ print	93
“ 5 gals. oil	75
“ $\frac{1}{2}$ doz. cups and saucers.....	40
“ 4 lbs. tea	2 00
“ 5 balls wicking	15
“ 2 gals. molasses	90
“ 1 file.....	20
“ 1 almanac	08
“ 10 lbs. sugar.....	99
“ $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. snuff	25
“ 1 bottle ink.....	10
“ 1 broom.....	35
“ 2 lbs. soda	14
Daniel Smith, use bull.....	1 50
I. N. Cochran, filing saws.....	25
C. E. Hoag & Co., bells.....	30
W. Flanders, pasturing.....	1 50
H. Bickford, comb and thread	15
John Vance, grinding.....	36
J. B. Varick, butter stamp.....	75
H. H. Simons, tobacco	1 10
J. P. Paige, repairing clock	1 50
Carrie Cram, 2 lbs. yarn	2 50
School-house tax.....	2 82
I. Bartlett, 1 steer.....	17 00
Buxton & Philbrick, 6 lbs. sugar	65

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SOLD BY FRANK P. CRAM.

Charles Cram, horse hire.....			\$0 80
Alfred Godfrey, ".....			40
Wm. McCain, ".....			40
W. C. Merrill, ".....			50
W. P. Balch, ".....			60
" ".....			1 00
J. B. Kinne, 10 lbs. butter.....			2 50
Buxton & Philbrick, 11 lbs. butter.....			2 62
" 10 ".....			2 40
" 14 ".....			3 64
" 15 ".....			3 60
S. R. Wallace, 4 ".....			1 00
J. B. Kinne, 10 ".....			2 50
L. Patnough, 10 ".....			2 50
" 14 ".....			3 08
Mrs. S. Wallace, 4 ".....			88
Mrs. G. Newell, 11 ".....			2 42
Dr. Davis, 12 ".....			2 46
Chas. Dow, 9 ".....			1 80
Poore & Rowell, 22 ".....			4 18
Mrs. Dugan, 2 ".....			44
D. C. Lamprey, 15 ".....			2 85
L. Patnough, 10 ".....			1 90
J. B. Kinne, 10 ".....			2 60
L. Patnough, 15½ ".....			4 03
" 11 ".....			3 30
" 14 ".....			4 20
Mrs. Kinne, 17½ lbs. butter.....			4 37
I. G. Rowell, 8 lbs. butter.....			2 24
S. R. Wallace, 4 lbs. butter.....			1 20
I. G. Rowell, 13 doz. eggs.....			2 22
Buxton & Philbrick, 5 doz. eggs.....			72
" 4½ ".....			63
" 3 10-12 doz. eggs.....			58
" 6¾ ".....			87
" 9½ ".....		1	14
" 8½ ".....		1	02
" 8½ ".....		1	10
S. R. Wallace, 2 ".....			30
J. B. Kenne, 4 ".....			60
L. Patnough, 4 ".....			60
" 8 ".....		1	04
Mrs. A. Dennison, 5½ ".....			71
Mrs. S. R. Wallace, 5 ".....			65
Mrs. Kinne, 5 ".....			52
Poor & Rowell, 8½ ".....		1	19
L. Patnough, 5 ".....			80

Poore & Rowell,	5 doz. eggs	\$0 75
H. H. Simons,	9½ "	1 32
"	6 "	96
J. B. Kenne,	6 "	1 08
L. Patnough,	3 "	54
H. H. Simons,	10½ "	2 05
Mrs. Kenne,	2 "	48
L. Patnough,	3 "	72
H. H. Simons,	2½ "	67
I. G. Rowell,	1½ bu. beans	2 40
E. L. Carpenter,	½ bu. beans	1 12
Aaron Hackett,	board Charles Hackett	2 00
Buxton & Philbrick,	70 lbs. dried apples	2 80
Use of boar		13 50
Keeping hogs		1 05
Town of Weare,	breaking roads	3 52
Joseph Cram,	seed corn	15
Mrs. Fletcher,	2 gals. vinegar	33
Alfred Paige,	4 ft. bark	3 51
L. Sargent,	2 gals. vinegar	33
P. T. Bailey,	1 calf	5 00
E. Fletcher,	4 gals. vinegar	66
T. Harriman,	1 chair	50
D. M. Poore,	2 barrels apples	2 00
N. G. Cram,	2 pigs	5 00
F. Moore,	2 bu. apples	60
E. Fletcher,	3½ gals. vinegar	58
M. W. Cram,	beef	77
E. Fletcher,	vinegar	20
G. Simons,	37 bbls. apples	37 00
W. P. Balch,	drawing apples	1 00
J. F. Cram,	3 bbls. apples	1 20
E. Fletcher,	1 bbl. cider	2 00
"	beets and cabbage	75
M. W. Cram,	apples	25
J. F. Cram,	1 pr. steers	105 00
D. J. Nichols,	1 axe helve	20
E. Fletcher,	2 gals. vinegar	33
D. Lamprey,	1 gal. vinegar	17
M. W. Cram,	7¾ lbs. tallow	31
R. Cram,	8½ lbs. pork	1 04
J. Cram,	75 lbs. beef	4 50
C. Buxton,	42 lbs. hide	3 26
D. Nichols,	1 axe helve	20
E. Cram,	1 gal. vinegar	17
N. G. Cram,	carrots	08
S. Sargent,	2 gals. vinegar	33

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN.

VALUATION.

Real estate.....	\$543,230 00
Factories and mills.....	17,750 00
Money on hand and at interest.....	93,875 00
Stock in trade.....	21,667 00
Stock in public funds.....	12,900 00
Stock in banks.....	5,800 00
478 polls.....	478 00
Horses.....	19,620 00
Cows.....	20,638 00
Oxen.....	11,632 00
Other neat stock.....	9,196 00
Sheep.....	7,034 00
Hogs.....	210 00
Carriages.....	2,680 00
Doomage.....	18,666 00
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	\$785,376 00

The rate of taxation was \$1.17 in cash on \$100, and twenty-five cents in labor on highways.

AMOUNT OF TAXES.

The amount of tax required to be assessed by law and by vote of the town, was as follows:

For State tax.....	\$2,108 00
County tax.....	2,010 16
Town tax.....	3,000 00
School tax.....	1,844 50
Town house.....	325 00
Grand army.....	50 00
Per cent added.....	404 90
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	\$9,742 56

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid P. A. Felch, labor on highway	\$7 70
John K. Brown, "	80
" breaking roads	4 10
William H. Sleeper, labor on highway	5 00
Jerry Kane, labor Rockland bridge	1 75
Nelson H. Gove, damage on plow	1 75
David J. Moulton, labor on highway	7 00
" breaking roads	2 00
John C. White, labor on bridge	1 00
I. N. Cochran, repairing highway	20 00
E. Richards, 2714 feet hemlock plank	40 70
J. Thorndike, lumber and repairing bridge	4 71
" watering place	3 00
J. W. Flanders, repairing highway	1 50
Henry E. Eaton, "	1 80
Thomas Eaton, damage crossing field	5 00
Lorenzo Philbrick, breaking roads	7 02
Frank K. Chase, labor on highway	5 00
R. W. Emerson, "	1 50
S. P. Colby, "	3 00
" breaking roads	5 20
John Gregg, labor Rockland bridge	3 12
Paige E. Gove, labor on highway	1 85
Geo. W. Dearborn, "	8 45
Jerry Kane, breaking roads 1879	10 20
James Simons, breaking roads	2 15
" labor on highway and bridges	10 50
J. B. Philbrick, breaking roads 1879	18 50
William B. Tenney, watering place 1877-78-79	6 00
C. H. Mitchell, labor on highway 1879	1 12
H. Foster, breaking roads 1879	3 43
Daniel B. Osborn, labor on bridge	10 50
S. L. Gove, watering place	3 00
H. D. Osborn, repairing culvert	7 00
Wm. P. Balch, breaking roads	3 30
President Felch, iron for railing, &c	1 02
Wm. H. Marshall, labor on railing	1 50
" chestnut for railing	16 50
Henry H. Spaulding, 1600 feet hemlock plank	19 20
J. Dow Chase, repairing highways	8 00
" breaking roads	1 10
S. W. Straw, watering place	3 00
John B. Varick, iron for railing and express	2 45
" " "	2 55
John C. Cilley, labor on highway	1 00
Henry P. Felch, "	13 63
J. Thorndike, 2200 feet hemlock plank	22 00

Paid Geo. L. Emerson, watering place.....	\$3 00
Wm. H. Sleeper, labor on highway	16 25
John Clough, breaking roads.....	1 20
• Silas McKellips, labor on highway	1 00
Chas. A. Annis, breaking roads.....	24 82
Geo. W. Scruton, "	10 57
M. A. Hodgdon, "	13 33
H. H. Leach, "	28 33
Moses D. Sargent, "	12 30
H. J. Hoit, watering place.....	3 00
F. H. Peaslee, breaking road.....	82
Wm. C. Vitty, "	34 15
A. W. Wheeler, "	26 62
A. N. Clark, "	36 05
Frank G. Cilley, damage to plow	4 00
Moses D. Sargent, breaking roads	10 55
N. P. Peaslee, " 1879.....	2 93
Daniel Boynton, watering place	1 25
" labor on highway.....	5 62
" breaking roads.....	27 30
Frank G. Cilley, "	24 30
R. C. Smith, "	16 71
Orrin F. Muzzey, "	7 16
Wm. H. Marshall, "	10 50
Frank Philbrick, "	4 20
Wm. H. Marshall, watering place	1 50
Otis C. Johnson, breaking roads	29 40
" labor on highway.....	2 00
Wm. H. Sleeper, breaking roads	14 50
S. P. Colby, labor on highway	2 53
" breaking roads	14 40
H. F. Philbrick, "	53 25
Wm. W. Vance, labor on highway	13 80
" labor and material on highway	7 40
James Gould, labor on highway	10 35
J. H. Day, lumber and stringers, bridge.....	4 25
Moses R. Peaslee, breaking roads.....	24 96
Wm. W. Vance, watering place.....	3 00
Moses R. Peaslee, labor on highway.....	3 50
David Gove, breaking roads.....	6 54
President Felch, "	3 00
W. T. Morse, watering place.....	3 00
Hiram Buswell, breaking roads.....	12 35
Chas. E. Colburn, labor on highway.....	32 25
" breaking roads.....	20 24
H. H. Simons, powder fuse and nails, highway	55
E. T. Breed, stringers for bridge	10 00

Paid C. W. Flanders, breaking roads	\$2 10
S. L. Gove, "	19 75
B. F. Cilley, 2,757 feet bridge plank	30 33
E. T. Breed, breaking roads	5 40
Edwin Gove, drawing lumber for bridge	1 00
J. H. Barrett, breaking roads	37
E. Putnam, labor on highway	2 50
L. Philbrick, breaking roads	13 87
Chas. Kelly, "	2 70
L. H. Dow, "	5 19
H. F. Breed, 150 feet lumber for bridge	1 50
" 250 feet plank for bridge	2 50
Wm. B. Tenney, watering place	3 00
G. C. Paige, labor on highway	2 00
" breaking roads	8 17
Eben L. Paige, "	14 55
John F. Cram, "	21 37
Eben B. Bartlett, "	29 25
F. P. Cram, "	31 03
P. E. Bartlett, watering place	3 00
A. B. Johnson, breaking roads	9 90
A. B. Johnson, nails and bolts, railing	1 60
C. E. Gove, breaking roads and labor	27 18
S. G. Eastman, damage to plow	3 00
E. C. Eastman, breaking roads	48 62
F. K. Chase, labor on highway	10 00
H. Hazen, breaking roads	12 86
T. Lufkin, "	24 06
Luther M. Farmer, "	23 02
Greene Boynton, "	3 15
Chas. D. Moore, "	52 28
John Emerson, watering place, 1879-80	5 00
Henry Davis, breaking roads	44 20
Moses D. Sargent, "	13 55
James Gould, dirt for highway ..	4 00
J. H. McAlpine, labor on highway	16 60
R. Peaslee, plank and repairs, bridge	1 63
James I. Wyman, breaking roads	5 50
I. N. Cochran, "	24 43
H. P. Felch, "	45 00
J. Dow Chase, "	24 50
C. P. Woodbury, "	15 95

 \$1,524 94

INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.

Paid Auditors, 1880	\$6 00	
D. P. Woodbury, goods Ash family	1 50	140
Israel Hoag, expense town officers 1879	26 55	
J. P. Simons, express town reports	25	
H. M. Felch, expense selectmen at hearing	1 00	
“ damages received on highway	62 50	
J. H. McAlpine, R. Peaslee and R. W. Gould referees, H. M. Felch claim	2 25	
T. H. Tuson, printing town reports	45 00	2264
“ “ blanks	1 75	
D. Sawyer, goods Ash family	22 64	
C. E. Hoag, expense town officers 1879	27 75	
J. P. Whittle, certificate of birth	25	
“ medicine and attend. Ash family	21 00	2100
A. F. Carr, certificates of births and deaths	1 25	
Frank Eaton, “ “	4 50	
C. B. Sturtevant, “ “	2 25	
Temple & Farrington, surveyors warrants	3 68	
J. F. Chase, express	50	
Fairbanks & Pearson, coffin and robe, Mrs. Ash	12 50	1250
Temple & Farrington, invoice and collectors book	25 00	
Jesse Clement, expense supervisors	1 00	
Ezra Dow, allowance on tax 1879	1 60	
J. P. Whittle, attend. and medicine L. Fipphen	36 00	
E. B. Craddock, house rent Johnson family	25 00	
A. F. Stevens, counsel fees Weare vs. Deering	107 00	
Jesse B. Osborn, wood Ash family	5 50	500
“ “ L. Fipphen	2 50	
J. P. Whittle, medicine and attend. L. Fipphen	11 00	
Daniel B. Osborn, funeral expense S. S. Osborn	10 00	
John Small & Co., coffin S. S. Osborn	10 00	
E. W. Breed, milk furnished L. Fipphen	2 56	800
D. Sawyer, goods Ash family	8 80	
“ “ L. Fipphen	10 00	
P. Felch, arresting tramp	2 00	
E. W. Breed, milk furnished L. Fipphen	2 44	
W. D. Chase, cleaning and repairing town hall	1 55	
E. B. Craddock, house rent Johnson family	15 00	
Fred Eaton, services as school committee 1879	23 50	
M. W. Russell M.D., examination J. Richardson	25 00	
“ “ M. Ash	1 50	1500
J. Thorndike, wood furnished M. Ash	5 50	500
A. B. Johnson, settees town hall	48 06	
Henry Davis, wood furnished L. Fipphen	5 50	
“ “ “ M. Ash	4 12	400
J. F. Chase, casting for derrick	2 00	
Wm. H. Marshall, services as selectman	6 00	
John H. Paige, goods furnished L. Fipphen	20 00	
“ “ “ M. Ash	8 00	800

8926
7796
16718

\$1,413 79

COUNTY BILLS.

Paid D. Sawyer, expense I. Wyman and wife	\$20 00
John C. Wyman, board I. E. Wyman	25 50
Jonathan Johnson, board Mariam Johnson.....	10 00
A. B. Johnson, expense Eastman family.....	3 00
Pillsbury R. Eaton, " "	50
Wm. McCain, board blind girls	67 50
Charles W. Everett, board Fields child.....	18 00
H. M. Felch, provisions C. S. Willard	1 32
J. P. Whittle, medicine and attendance county	24 24
James W. Barrett, board Burbeck boy	11 14
D. Sawyer, expense I. Wyman and wife.....	32 00
" " Quimby.....	7 00
Hannah Putnam, board Herbert girl.....	13 50
Wm. McCain, board blind girls	63 75
Seth Webber, coffin and robe E. Wilson.....	7 00
John C. Wyman, board I. E. Wyman	21 00
A. M. Hamilton, digging grave Wilson child...	1 50
A. B. Johnson, boots Wilson family..	4 00
C. W. Everett, board Fields child	17 00
John C. Wyman, board I. E. Wyman	19 50
W. T. Morse, express on coffin M. Johnson....	50
Johnathan Johnson, support M. Johnson.....	57 50
Geo. H. Locke, board Wilson family	6 00
Greene Boynton, board Wilson family	26 00
Fairbanks & Pearson, coffin, robe and cap	
M. Johnson	13 00
John C. Wyman, board I. E. Wyman	9 00
Wm. McCain, board blind girls	63 75
Chas. W. Everett, board Fields child.....	17 00
Jason P. Simons, freight on Wilson goods.....	5 12
J. P. Whittle, medicine and attendance county	22 88
" " " "	22 88
Charles Kelley, goods Wilson family.....	4 67
C. W. Ross, attending funeral E. Wilson.....	1 00
Hannah Putnam, board Herbert girl	2 50
D. Sawyer, expense I. Wyman and wife	65 87
C. E. Hoag & Co., goods G. W. Eastman.....	1 00
W. T. Morse, box coffin M. Johnson.....	1 00
J. C. Wyman, board I. E. Wyman	5 00
A. L. Sleeper, carrying pauper Co. farm	3 50
A. B. Johnson, goods furnished G. W. Eastman	13 43
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	\$709 05

SERVICES TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid Almon L. Sleeper	\$126 20
William T. Morse	98 73
John H. McAlpine	86 75
Albert B. Johnson, } Supervisors	18 00
Perley E. Bartlett, }	14 00
Levi H. Dow, }	8 25
Charles E. Hoag, Clerk	40 00
“ Treasurer	40 00
Jesse Clement, Collector	100 00
J. P. Dearborn, }	41 45
A. B. Johnson, } School Committee	30 00
L. H. Farr, }	25 00
Geo. W. Colby, agent town funds	15 00
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	\$643 38

PAID SCHOOL DISTRICTS, 1880.

No. 1, North Western, \$112 44	10, River Road..... \$105 75
2, North Weare... 286 91	11, Mountain 96 62
3, Rockland 222 85	12, Buxton's 121 94
4, Sugar Hill 88 17	13, Tavern 106 05
5, Clinton Grove.. 182 28	14, Oil Mills 127 26
6, Centre 191 55	15, Friends 100 89
7, East Weare 232 85	
8, South Weare... 276 81	
9, Barnard Hill... 108 76	
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	\$2,361 13

PAID RELIGIOUS SOCIETIES.

Universalist..... \$34 23	Third F. W. Baptist \$9 64
So. Weare Universalist 48 05	Calvin Baptist 34 84
Union Congregational 30 46	Advent 88
Friends..... 61 28	
Second F. W. Baptist 13 44	
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	\$232 82

TAXES ABATED.

1875.

Geo. H. Cochran..... \$4 90	Orrin A. Manning.... \$2 68
John N. Cochran..... 1 48	Rockland Mills, over-tax 24 60
John S. Purington.... 3 26	Abigail Osborne heirs 3 69
Henry Towns 1 48	Nathan C. Paige..... 1 23
Samuel Hoit..... 2 02	Nathan Philbrick.... 24 28
Mary Follansbee 2 10	John S. Purington... 2 36
Ransom Follansbee... 1 00	Thomas Rogers 1 80
Noah Jackson..... 1 68	Dennis Wilson 1 23

1876.

Nathaniel C. Davis... 2 43
Geo. H. Cochran 5 20
Abigail Osborne heirs 4 19
John S. Purington.... 3 98

1877.

Benjamin Follansbee 4 55
Samuel B. Hoit..... 9 84

1878.

Roy Flanders, illegal 1 15
Leroy Fipphen..... 1 43
Orrin A. Manning ... 1 15
John S. Purington... 3 63
Henry Smith..... 1 15
Geo. W. Osborne..... 1 15

1879		1880.	
Leander Ash.....	\$1 14	Sylvanus Summer, ille.	\$1 17
Fred S. Billings	1 14	G. Fred Paige, illegal,	1 17
Greene Boynton.....	1 14	Charlotte Gove, over-tax	2 34
William F. Cullen....	1 14	Henry Smith.....	1 17
Nathaniel C. Davis....	1 14	Frank P. Gregg, paid	
Leroy Fipphen.....	1 36	in New Boston.....	1 17
Frank Lull.....	1 14	Frank Houston.....	1 40
Orrin A. Manning....	1 14	Lewis Houston.....	1 17
Henry Smith.....	1 14	Martin J. Healey.....	1 17
Alvin Thompson.....	1 14	William C. Merrill...	1 17
John C. Wyman.....	1 14		
Henry P. Felch, over-tax	5 70		\$152 31
J. D. Courcey, over-tax	1 14		
Sylvester S. Osborne	1 14		

DAMAGES ON SHEEP.

YEAR ENDING APRIL 1, 1880.

Paid John Colburn...	\$1 85	Hiram M. Felch.....	\$24 69
Eben B. Bartlett.....	9 26	Jonathan D. Chase...	1 54
Moses A. Hodgdon..	48 14	Homer F. Breed.....	3 71
Charles H. Jones.....	6 79	Abraham Melvin	3 71
George C. Paige.....	6 79		
James Baker	18 52		\$125 00

Dog tax for the year ending April 1, 1880, \$125.00.

BOUNTY ON HAWKS.

Paid A. L. Sleeper.....	\$4 60	J. H. McAlpine.....	\$1 20
W. T. Morse	7 60		\$13 40

FUNDS OF THE TOWN.

Ministerial fund....	\$3,869 29	School fund.....	\$1,191 40
Literary fund	3,021 23		

The school fund has been two thousand dollars, but by the loss in the estate of Daniel Paige it has been reduced to the above amount, putting in the Chase meadow at the price it was sold at by the receiver, three hundred dollars.

Paid notes and interest.....	\$5,205 00
Outstanding bonds	5,300 00
Outstanding notes, with interest accrued March 1,	
1881, at 6 per cent.....	7,619 49

A. L. SLEEPER.

W. T. MORSE,

J. H. McALPINE,

Selectmen of Weare.

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

To cash on hand, March 1, 1880.....	\$1,882 61
Interest	6 13
From Town farm.....	293 48
Town of New Boston.....	163 08
Income town hall.....	24 50
Income Benj. Felch estate.....	20 00
Daniel Hanson, use town derrick.....	7 00
A. E. Wood, unexpended highway tax, 1879...	6 59
Wm. B. Tenney.....	3 00
Money hired.....	250 00
County.....	943 52
State bounty on hawks.....	14 40
State insurance tax.....	3 75
State railroad tax.....	129 38
State savings bank tax.....	2,336 93
State literary fund.....	131 72
Abner P. Collins, abatements 1875 tax.....	17 92
Abner P. Collins, abatements 1875 tax.....	4 76
A. H. Wood, abatements 1876 tax.....	20 00
A. H. Wood, abatements 1877 tax.....	72 06
H. Copeland, abatements 1878 tax.....	30 40
H. Copeland, abatements 1879 tax.....	1,515 00
Jesse Clement.....	8,890 64
Jesse Clement, abatements 1880.....	11 93
Geo. W. Colby, interest on funds.....	267 13
Interest on state bonds.....	84 00
H. Copeland, dog tax 1879.....	125 00
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	\$17,254 93

DISBURSEMENTS.

For state tax.....	\$2,108 00
County tax.....	2,010 16
Town farm bill.....	203 75
Taxes abated.....	152 31
Highways and bridges.....	1,524 94
Incidental expenses.....	1,413 79
Services town officers.....	643 38
Superintendent town farm.....	300 00
Notes and interest.....	5,205 00
Non-resident tax worked.....	52 42
Bounty on hawks.....	13 40

County bills	\$709 05
Repairing town hall	325 00
Stark Fellows Post, G. A. R.	50 00
School districts	2,361 13
Damage on sheep	125 00
Cash on hand	57 60
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	\$17,254 93

RECAPITULATION.

Outstanding notes	\$7,619 49
Outstanding bonds	5,300 00
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	\$12,919 49

State bonds	\$1,400 00
Interest due on literary fund	30 21
Due from E. Putnam, use of pasture....	24 00
Due from A. W. Wood, 1876 tax	30 00
Due from A. W. Wood, 1877 tax	293 69
Due from H. Copeland, 1878 tax	169 60
Due from H. Copeland, 1879 tax	219 81
Due from Jesse Clement, 1880 tax.	900 70
Cash on hand	57 60
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	\$2,125 61

Leaving town debt	\$10,793 88
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CHARLES E. HOAG, *Treasurer.*

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts, and have found the vouchers satisfactory and the footings correct.

A. B. JOHNSON,
D. P. WOODBURY,
GEO. W. COLBY,

Auditors.

WEARE, March 1, 1881.

SCHOOL REPORT.

To the Citizens of Weare:—

A few general statements may here be expected concerning the progress of our schools, during the past year. Suggestions for the good of our schools are also proper, and many might be offered, which, if observed, would lead to the rectifying of many mistakes, and result in the establishing of better methods in the management of the affairs of our schools.

But we reflect that very little of what has been said in the past appears to have been heeded, for we observe the same mistakes made year after year, and apparently very little concern or questioning, on the part of the people, the real influence and power, whether we are improving in our educational interests or moving along indifferently in the same old way.

We ought to be satisfied only as we have evidence of advancement, and afford to those whose duty it is to bring to the notice of the public the *truth* concerning the real condition of schools, an opportunity to specify some obstacle overcome, some error corrected. We have found in some of our schools for the year, earnest, faithful workers, in every way fitted for teachers; putting life into the work, disciplining the school in the true sense of the term. Such cannot be hired for fifty cents a day, and "board around," especially in teaching a winter term.

We do not wish to speak too much in the spirit of complaint but have learned from the experience of one school at least, that it is not the wise plan to arrange for a certain number of weeks of school, then hire some one for half pay, unfit to take charge of the school as a teacher.

Some who offer themselves for teachers might succeed in one place, and meet with failure in another. We should understand our schools so thoroughly as to know what ability and power will be required, and then secure the services of the right one for the place.

It is not necessary to here make other references of duty and obligation which rest upon all; for it would be but to repeat what is already on record,—suggestions of those who have been

deeply interested, and earnest in their efforts for the welfare of our schools.

We might labor with more confidence and hope if we knew the "School Report" would be gladly welcomed and find a popular place in the household, where at least the sight of it might be a reminder of schools and our obligation to them.

We would acknowledge the gift of a work entitled, *Alcohol and Hygiene*, from the Women's Christian Temperance Union, and others, to the School Committee—a copy for each district to be used by teachers in general exercises, and as often as may be thought proper. An examination of this book will convince any one that it contains valuable information much needed by the young, and we hope it will meet with such favor as to be required as a regular text-book in the school.

New spelling books have been introduced, which was felt to be a needed change.

We have endeavored to be faithful in the discharge of the duties that have devolved upon us as Committee during the year, and still shall continue interested in the future prosperity of our schools, and earnestly urge greater manifestations of interest and unceasing united effort on the part of all to realize better and more satisfactory results; that as another record is made at the end of the school year, it may be one of profit, not loss, a step forward, not backward.

Schools in Districts No. 1, 2, 5, (first term) 6, and 15 reported by Lindley H. Farr. Nos. 3, 4, 7, 9 and 10, A. B. Johnson. No. 5, (second and third term) 8, 11, 12, 13 and 14, by J. P. Dearborn.

DISTRICT No. 1.—NORTH-WESTERN.

Prudential Committee—HORACE PEASLEY.

Two terms taught by Miss Carrie E. Paige. The teacher worked earnestly for the good of the school, and succeeded in awakening an interest in the studies, on the part of the scholars, the result of which was good progress in all branches pursued.

ROLL OF HONOR.

First Term—Flora E. Brown, Ida W. Dow, Mabel E. Dow, Minnie G. Gove, Bertha F. Gove, Addie L. Gove, Myra E. Peasley, Sadie F. Putney, Frank E. Colburn, Minnie E. Peasley.

Second Term—Bertha F. Gove, Minnie E. Peasley, Myra G. Peasley, Nellie E. Peasley, Frank E. Colburn.

DISTRICT No. 2.—NORTH WEARE.

Prudential Committee—J. W. HANSON.

Three terms taught by Miss Medora Edmunds. This is a

very interesting school. The closing examination showed that earnest labor had been performed by teacher and scholars.

We were much pleased to note the attention paid to mental arithmetic by a large number of the scholars.

ROLL OF HONOR.

First Term—Mabel L. Hurd, Helen M. Jones, Cora J. McKellips, Clara B. Wallace, John D. Emerson, Arthur D. Jones, Herman B. Jones.

Second Term—Isabel G. Jones, Maria A. Thurston, Mabel A. Thurston, Clara B. Wallace, Clinton N. Emerson, John D. Emerson, Allen W. Sawyer.

Third Term—Cora J. McKellips, Clara B. Wallace, Allen W. Sawyer.

DISTRICT No. 3.—ROCKLAND.

Prudential Committee—CHARLES W. EVERETT.

Summer and fall terms taught by Miss Annie C. Rogers, of Dunbarton. This was Miss Roger's second year in this school, in which she fully sustained her former reputation of being an excellent teacher. The scholars in this school are nearly all small, but orderly, and made good improvement.

ROLL OF HONOR.

First Term—Maggie Martin, Eddie Smith.

Second Term—Mary A. Reiley, Maggie Martin, Charles L. Donalson, George A. Hill, Eddie Smith.

Winter Term. John R. B. Kelley, teacher. Mr. Kelley is interested in his work, and therefore successful.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Eddie Smith, Fred J. Hoyt.

DISTRICT No. 4.—SUGAR HILL.

Prudential Committee—Mrs. ELIZA B. MOORE.

Two terms, both taught by Miss Annie E. Dodge, making four consecutive terms. Miss Dodge has taught in this district with eminent success, judging from the appearance of the school at our several visits.

ROLL OF HONOR.

First Term—Ira Annis.

Second Term—Charles G. Moore, Emma G. Annis, Alice Annis.

DISTRICT No. 5.—CLINTON GROVE.

Prudential Committee—EMERY WYMAN.

Summer term taught by Miss Alice A. Gould of Antrim.

We were much pleased with the appearance of this school. Although the work of the term was somewhat retarded by the irregular attendance of several of the pupils, good advancement was made, which was largely due to the faithful work of the teacher.

ROLL OF HONOR.

First Term—W. Carl Jones, Herman Peasley.

Fall and winter terms taught by Lindley H. Farr. At each visit to this school there was satisfactory evidence of work in the right direction. Mr. Farr aims at thoroughness, leading his scholars to think and act for themselves, the true idea of teaching. We are certain of profitable results under such management.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Second Term—Della W. Davis, George L. Jones, W. Carl Jones. The third term at this writing still in session.

DISTRICT No. 6.—WEARE CENTRE.

Prudential Committee—DANIEL JOHNSON.

Three terms taught by Mr. Fred F. Foster. We think there was a lack of interest on the part of the teacher and scholars during the summer term. An improvement in this respect was apparent during the fall and winter terms. A good degree of work was accomplished.

DIRTRICT No. 7.—EAST WEARE.

Prudential Committee—JOHN RICHARDSON.

Miss Clara C. Gutterson of Henniker, teacher of summer and fall terms. Miss Gutterson has had large experience, and an excellent reputation as a teacher, which was fully sustained. the school making a good appearance at our first visit, and showing marked improvement at each succeeding visit.

ROLL OF HONOR.

First Term—Herman C. Balch, Alfred H. Marshall, Mary D. Hamilton, Mamie L. Schwartz.

Second Term—Herman C. Balch, Willie S. Felch, Charlie F. Nichols, Ernest A. Cilley, Jennie E. Black, Minnie J. Eaton, Elsie M. Lufkin, Mamie L. Schwartz, Lillian H. Putnam.

Winter term taught by James E. Stone of Dunbarton. The school appeared well at our first visit, and we looked for a successful term. The closing examination, although very fair, was not what we had hoped, perhaps on account of the absence of many of the larger scholars, amounting to nearly one-third of the whole number attending during the term,—a growing evil which is assuming large proportions in many of our schools, and which we trust will be avoided in the future.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Third Term—Carrie M. Philbrick, Mamie L. Schwartz.

DISTRICT No. 8.—SOUTH WEARE.

Prudential Committee.—RODNEY W. EMERSON.

The summer term taught by Miss Minnie J. Peaslee. This is one of the largest and best schools in town, demanding experienced and successful teachers. Miss Peaslee proved for this school, as has been recorded for her in other schools in the past, "one of the best," giving here, as elsewhere, satisfaction, and accomplishing for the school as much as could reasonably be expected in a term of eight weeks.

ROLL OF HONOR.

First Term—Hiram E. Grant, Hiram D. Nichols, Willie H. Stevens, Elsie G. Eastman, Flora B. Eastman, Jessie A. Eastman, A. Maud Nichols, Lillian M. Osborne.

Fall and winter terms taught by Alice L. Smith. Of this teacher's ability and fitness for the school-room, all know and none question. The closing examination of the fall term was considered one of the most interesting and profitable ever passed by this school, satisfying all visitors that new life and interest had been awakened in the school; leaving no room for doubt that the most lasting impressions have been made upon the minds of the pupils, as by example and illustration they had been instructed in the different branches pursued.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Second Term—George F. Bartlett, J. H. Eastman, G. H. Eastman, Edward F. Flanders, Lucy A. Eastman, Flora B. Eastman, Elsie G. Eastman, Emma I. Gould, A. Maud Nichols, Lillian M. Osborne, Veda G. Stoning. Winter term now in session.

DISTRICT No. 9.—BARNARD HILL.

Prudential Committee—ORRIN C. FAVOR.

Three terms, all taught by Bessie A. Barnard. This was Miss Barnard's first school, in which she was as success-

ful as could be expected of so young a teacher, the school appearing orderly, and showing a fair degree of advancement.

ROLL OF HONOR.

First Term—Ida L. Boynton, Willie V. B. Boynton, Carrie E. Couch, Lillie B. Sargent, Ernest A. R. Boynton, Bertie A. Boynton, Charles G. Boynton.

Second Term—Edwin L. Couch.

Third Term—Carrie E. Couch, Eddie L. Couch.

DISTRICT No. 10.—RIVER ROAD.

Prudential Committee—WM. H. MARSHALL.

Teacher of summer term, Miss Henrietta Clement. This was her first school, and is a hard one for a beginner, on account of some of the larger scholars who attended the school—doubtless for some good reason, we were unable to tell what—evidently not for improvement in education. Miss Clement labored faithfully, and was more successful than could be expected under the circumstances, some of the scholars making a good degree of improvement.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Annie W. Wilson, Lizzie M. Moulton, Helen Barnard, Lillias J. Melvin, Luella Marshall, Adeline V. Favor, Orison M. Moulton, Charlie Burtley, Walter W. Wilson, Geo. Marshall, Harlie Barnard, John Favor.

Winter term taught by Calvin Martin, of Dunbarton, and Minnie J. Peaslee, of Weare. Both were experienced teachers, and labored earnestly for the interest of the scholars.

The term was, however, in our opinion, of but little benefit to the school, on account of its being so much broken. Mr. Martin began the school, and after a short time, the school-house was burned. The school, after about a week's delay, was continued in a room in an old house in the district, which was hastily fitted up, with very poor accommodations. Soon after, Mr. Martin was obliged to leave the school on account of his health, Miss. Peaslee finishing the term.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Walter A. Wilson, Lillias J. Melvin, Annie F. Wilson.

DISTRICT No. 11.—MOUNTAIN.

Prudential Committee—EBEN B. BARTLETT.

The summer term taught by Miss Lizzie McLane, of New Boston. Though the scholars were mostly young, and few in number, yet the time occupied at the final visit in a review of

the studies pursued during the term proved that the teacher had been "faithful over the few," and a good work accomplished.

ROLL OF HONOR.

First Term—Ella F. Bartlett, Nora A. Currier, Eva L. Balch, Myrtie M. Balch.

Fall term taught by Anne I. Hammond, of Dunbarton, a teacher of experience, but perhaps requiring a larger school and older scholars to secure the enthusiasm necessary to bring about the best results. Glad to notice the presence of one "Prudential Committee" at a school examination, the only instance, at least in five districts; other parents and friends also present, and all interested in the exercises of the afternoon; especially pleased with the singing of several pieces so successfully by the young scholars.

DISTRICT No. 12.—BUXTON'S.

Two terms taught by Elvira J. Colby. Not a new experience for this teacher, having in the past had charge of this school, also successfully teaching in other schools. The usual faithfulness followed by the most satisfactory results. The young class in geography especially testifying, by the promptness and clear understanding with which all questions were answered, that the work had been thoroughly done.

ROLL OF HONOR.

First Term—Eugene S. Eastman, Ervin A. Eastman, Arthur A. Nichols.

Second Term—Ervin A. Eastman, Denton Dearborn, Arthur A. Nichols.

Winter term taught by Willie R. Martin. At the end of ten weeks the school closed without examination, on account of sickness occasioned by the measles being brought into the school. But, judging from visits made in the early part of the term, and from information through other sources, we can speak favorably of Mr. Martin as a teacher, and believe with added experience his services will be valuable in our schools.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Third Term—Eugene S. Eastman, Ervin A. Eastman.

DISTRICT No. 13.—DEARBORN'S.

Prudential Committee—FRANK CHASE.

Summer term taught by Mabel Dearborn.—The first term, and as successful as most young teachers. With the experience of this term's teaching, and added discipline obtained from further attendance at school, we believe Miss Dearborn may

confidently go forward to the work of the school-room, and we trust it will be her ambition to be classed with those who succeed best.

ROLL OF HONOR.

First Term—Alfuretta S. Colburn, Lizzie A. Flanders, Clarence A. Follansbee, Emma I. Gould.

Winter term taught by Irene V. Eastman. Miss Eastman has the advantage of an experience as a teacher in our common schools, and in this school during the term labored with her usual determination to govern and control her scholars, as well as direct lessons, and impart useful and profitable information. This is one of the teachers to be kept employed in the school-room.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Second Term—Eva C. Osborne, Frank H. Osborne, Eddie F. Flanders, Lizzie A. Flanders, Clarence A. Follansbee, Alfuretta S. Colburn.

DISTRICT No. 14.—OIL MILLS.

Prudential Committee—AMOS E. HADLEY.

Two terms taught by Addie S. Grant, of Goffstown. This teacher labored earnestly for the success of the school, yet felt at the close of the first term that mistakes had been made which she hoped to be able to rectify with further experience.

The examination at the close of the second term very satisfactory; yet we would suggest for this school older and more experienced teachers.

ROLL OF HONOR.

First Term—Herbert W. Marsh, Meda L. Richards, Winnie L. Vance, Gracie A. Leeds.

A term of nine weeks under the charge of John H. Page of Dunbarton. Not succeeding in the management of the school to the satisfaction of himself, or the district, Mr. Page closed the school without examination.

The school at this writing, in session, with J. R. B. Kelley, teacher; who successfully taught the winter term in Dist. No. 3.

DISTRICT No. 15.—FRIENDS.

Prudential Committee—L. H. OSBORNE.

Two terms taught by Miss Alice L. Smith. This district

was fortunate in securing the services of a teacher whose ability and experience made the work of both terms thorough and practical.

ROLL OF HONOR.

First Term—George A. Downing, Charles Osborne, Henry Osborne.

Second Term—Charles Osborne, Henry Osborne.

J. P. DEARBORN,
A. B. JOHNSON,
LINDLEY H. FARR.

School Committee of Weare.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

No. of District.	Terms.	Teachers.	Length of school in weeks.	Wages of teacher per month including board.	Whole No. of pupils attending not less than 2 weeks.	Average daily attendance.	Instances of tardiness.	No. bet. 5 and 15 not atten. school.	Visits by citizens.	No.	Money paid school districts for 1889.
1	Summer.	Caroline E. Paige.	7	\$22.00	16	15	6		17	1	\$112.44
1	Fall.	Caroline E. Paige.	12	22.00	17	16	19		13		
2	Summer.	Medora Edmunds.	10	30.00							
2	Fall.	Medora Edmunds.	11	30.00						2	286.91
2	Winter.	Medora Edmunds.	11	34.00							
3	Summer.	Annie C. Rogers.	8	29.00	24	20	23		5	3	222.85
3	Fall.	Annie C. Rogers.	9	29.00	29	28	23		12		
3	Winter.	J. R. B. Kelley.	9	32.00	27	22	41		14		
4	Summer.	Annie E. Dodge.	8	20.00	10	8			22	4	88.17
4	Fall.	Annie E. Dodge.	8	20.00	15	8			18		
5	Summer.	Alice A. Gould.	8	16.00	20	15	15	4	31		
5	Fall.	Lindley H. Farr.	10	28.00	29	23	70	4	24	5	182.28
5	Winter.	Lindley H. Farr.	12	28.00	28						
6	Summer.	F. F. Foster.	8	30.00	29	25	42			6	191.55
6	Fall.	F. F. Foster.	8	30.00	28	23	28				
6	Winter.	F. F. Foster.	6	30.00	29	26	27				
7	Summer.	Clara E. Gutterson.	10	28.00	32	30	47	1	27	7	232.85
7	Fall.	Clara E. Gutterson.	10	28.00	35	32	25		18		
7	Winter.	James E. Stone.	10	32.00	32	28	128	5	20		
8	Summer.	Minnie J. Peaslee.	8	24.00	20	17	14	2	15	8	276.81
8	Fall.	Alice L. Smith.	8	40.00	39	38	30	2	34		
8	Winter.	Alice L. Smith.									
9	Summer.	Bessie A. Barnard.	9	18.00	11	9			33	9	108.76
9	Fall.	Bessie A. Barnard.	8	18.00	10	8		2	20		
9	Winter.	Bessie A. Barnard.	7	18.00	10	7		2	15		
10	Summer.	Henrietta Clement.	8	24.00	16	16		2	11	10	105.75
10	Winter.	Calvin Martin.	12	34.00	20	17	3	1	8		
	Winter.	Minnie J. Peaslee.		30.00							
11	Summer.	Lizzie McLane.	7		8	7	1		12	11	96.62
11	Winter.	Annie I. Hammond.	9	22.00	8	7	10		22		
12	Summer.	Elvira J. Colby.	9	11.09	11	10	15		15	12	121.94
12	Fall.	Elvira J. Colby.	8	12.00	7	6	1		15		
12	Winter.	Willie R. Martin.	10	29.00	13	11	17		16		
13	Summer.	Mabel Dearborn.	8	14.00	9	8	11		21	13	106.05
13	Winter.	Irene V. Eastman.	12	22.00	14	13	7		11		
14	Summer.	Addie S. Grant.	8	13.00	12	14	28	1	21	14	127.26
14	Fall.	Addie S. Grant.	7	13.25	13	12	19	2	18		
14	Winter.	John H. Paige.	8	24.00	21	19	49		5		
	Winter.	J. R. B. Kelley.									
15	Summer.	Alice L. Smith.	12	26.00	9	7	1	1	33	15	100.89
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
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